

BUSINESS POINTERS.

J. C. Moore, abstracting. 2tf
Rock salt at the Eagle Grocery.

P. A. Walton is prepared to take boarders and longers by the day or week. 11-12

For bargains in real estate or collections, call on C. E. Gandy, Notary Public, Broken Bow. 9tf

J. G. Leonard bonded abstractor. 39tf

One hundred ton of hay to let out on the shares. 7tf
JESSE GANDY.

Before buying flour visit the Eagle Grocery.

Apples! Apples!! Apples!!! All kinds of apples—cooking, eating and crab apples at the Star Grocery.

WANTED—To hire two men that have families. Houses furnished.—WEST UNION MILLING CO. 38tf
West Union, Neb.

FOR SALE—Town lots and a few five acre lots in this city.—Allen Reynier.

Money loaned on improved farms. JAMES LEDWICH, 718 tf
Broken Bow, Neb.

Just received a new stock of picture frames, mouldings, mats, etc. Picture frames made to order. Second hand goods of all kinds bought and sold.

JUD KAY, 39tf
South Side Square.

FOR SALE—A few choice grade 1/4 and 3/8 Duroc Jersey Males. Also one pedigreed yearling male. Phone or address, 11-12
A. T. SEYBOLT.

FOR SALE—A fine home with good well, good buildings, bearing fruit trees, etc. All of block 6, Jewetts addition to Broken Bow, Nebraska.

MRS. FANNIE L. STUCKER, 11-14
Ansley, Neb.

Brans, shorts and ground feed for sale at the Eagle Grocery.

The celebrated Geiser Threshing machinery. Never beaten in a test. The machine without stives. For sale by 2tf
S. M. DORRIS.

This office for neat job work.

Just received a car load of flour, and we are selling it at the cheapest of any flour that has been sold here. Try it—at the Star Grocery. 8tf

BOARDERS WANTED—At Mrs. L. M. Pickett's. Price, \$2.50 per week. 11-13

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Full line of staple groceries at the Eagle Grocery.

The Broken Bow Business College opens Sept. 7. 10tf

FOR SALE—Six room house; best location in city. 9tf
PETER SIMONSON.

We have just received a large consignment of Queensware and glassware. Call and see them. THE STAR GROCERY.

W. A. George & Co., have just received a car load of salt.

The best ice cream soda in the city at Wilkin's drug store.

Ice cream soda at Wilkin's drug store for five cents. Try it.

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Dr. A. M. Earl, the eyespecialist of Omaha, will visit Broken Bow again Wednesday September 16, and will be found at Dr. C. L. Mullin's office. The doctor has made several visits to this city and has given his patrons excellent satisfaction. 12-13

Apples, peaches and plums at the Eagle Grocery.

Mr. Aaron Pool of Broken Bow will supply your wants for NURSERY stock and guarantees satisfaction. 8tf

To the ladies: Don't worry about what to wear to the fair. Drop in at Wilson & Drake's and get a tailor made suit or treat yourself to a swell skirt and stylish shirt waist. Then you will enjoy the show. 10tf

New wall paper and plenty of it, at J. C. Bowen's.

"They All Spoke Well of You," a new song by Al. Trahern, is the latest ballad craze in New York. The composer has sent two copies of this song to every music store in the United States and Canada, making a total of some twenty thousand copies, so that those who wish a copy will have no trouble in securing it.

Custer Baptist Association.

The Custer Baptist Association was held at Lodi Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. In the absence of the Moderator, A. B. Cornish was elected moderator pro tem.

The Annual Sermon was preached by Rev. W. L. Markland, formerly pastor of the Ansley and the Eudell churches.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the election of D. M. Amsberry of Broken Bow, moderator; Mrs. J. H. Kerr of Ansley, clerk; A. B. Cornish of Lodi, treasurer.

J. A. Hall of Mason City, was elected chairman of the Missionary committee.

The praise service in the evening was led by Mrs. J. H. Kerr of Ansley, and the sermon was preached by Rev. J. Woods of Mason City.

Wednesday morning the praise service was led by Bro. Caress of Gandy, after which a sermon preached by Rev. W. T. Powers of Weissert.

The report of the missionary committee was made by Rev. W. L. Markland which showed upwards of forty accessions as the result of his labors.

The afternoon meeting was in charge of the women. The praise service was led by Mrs. Edminsten of Lomax. Report of the Foreign Missionary work in the state by Mrs. Kerr showed a good work and that the churches are alive to that interest. The work in that department in the association was presented by Mrs. A. B. Cornish of Lodi, which showed the churches in Custer Association loyal to the work of Foreign Missions.

The work of Home Missions was presented by Mrs. G. W. Runyan and Mrs. Cornish. This report showed that every church in the association was loyal to the Mother Society and that it had been remembered by each in their contributions. This session was one of the interesting features of the Association.

The evening session was devoted to a discussion of the Sunday School interests, which was followed with a sermon by Rev. S. P. Morris of Broken Bow.

In the forenoon Saturday the Missionary Union was presented by Rev. Buzzell of Juniata. This was followed by reading the letters of the several churches.

The afternoon was taken up with with general discussion and sermon by Rev. Markland.

At the evening session praise service was led by No George of Cumro. After which a sermon was preached by Rev. F. E. Hudson, Field Secretary of the Grand Island College, at the close of which he presented the interests of the college in an able plea for its support. The college interests were discussed by several of the brethren and a liberal collection was taken for its support.

The services Sunday morning were opened at 6:30 with devotional services led by Rev. Human, of Lomax.

At 11 o'clock a sermon on the "Spiritual Significance of Scriptural Baptism" was preached by Rev. S. P. Morris of Broken Bow.

The afternoon session was devoted to the work of the B. Y. P. U. The praise service was led by Miss Ada Runyan of Mason City. A B. Y. P. U. Rally in charge of Rev. J. R. Wood followed which resulted in the organization of a B. Y. P. U. Association organization. Rev. S. P. Morris was elected president and A. B. Cornish, secretary. It was decided to hold a semi-annual meeting of the B. Y. P. U. Association in Broken Bow in April.

All the evening sessions of the Association were largely attended and all the services were interesting and spiritual. The general opinion expressed was that it was one of the best Associations ever held in the district. The provisions for entertainment were

ample and all those in attendance were made to feel a cordial welcome by the people of Lodi.

The Association will be held next year at Ansley. The date of holding it was left to the moderator, clerk and a committee consisting of J. A. Hall, Rev. S. C. Cadwell and A. B. Cornish.

Normal School Board.

The Normal School Board arrived in the city Friday morning from the west and spent the day in the city viewing the sites for the proposed state normal.

They were met at the depot by a delegation of citizens with carriages, who proceeded to show them the town and the sites the city would tender the state for normal school purposes.

The first site visited was north of the railroad and east of the school house, containing thirty acres. From there the guests were shown the residence portion of the north side. They were then driven to the residence portion of the south side, west on Maine street and back on Broadway to the site east of the city. This city of thirty acres was viewed by the board, after which they were taken to the Grand Central where they were banqueted.

The committee in charge was John Reese, A. R. Humphrey, F. H. Young, J. S. Molineaux, Alpha Morgan, W. A. George and D. M. Amsberry.

In the afternoon a public meeting was held in the court house where the claims of Broken Bow were presented. The program was opened with a song by the ladies quartette. The quartette was made up of Mesdames Gutterson, Stuckey, Adamson and Taylor.

Just prior to calling the house to order by Judge Reese a very large and beautiful bouquet of flowers was presented to Col. Tom Majors, which called fourth a happy speech from the recipient, who made much of it at the expense of his colleagues.

Several selections were rendered by the Broken Bow Band while the crowd was gathering. The address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Purcell, who managed in extending a hearty welcome to the distinguished guests, to weave in many suggestions and logical reasons why the proposed normal should be located at Broken Bow.

The address of welcome was responded to by Mr. Rogers of Omaha, president of the board. Mr. Rogers expressed his surprise at the progress the city had made since his last visit ten years previous and for the hearty reception tendered the board.

Chairman Reese then introduced A. R. Humphrey who, in an able manner, presented the advantages offered by Broken Bow to the state normal.

Jas. Whitehead was next introduced, who discussed the moral phase of the question and showed the possible future of the west that was tributary to Broken Bow.

Senator Currie was the next speaker introduced, who in an eloquent manner showed the great need of the school in Central Nebraska and the advantages offered by Broken Bow over all competitors.

The members of the Board were each called upon. Each member gave an interesting talk and spoke of their work and the claims that had been made by the fourteen other towns they had visited. They assured the audience that at no place they had visited had the claims been more ably presented than at Broken Bow.

The members of the committee are:

Tom Majors of Perue, Mr. Rogers of Omaha, Supt. Fowler of Lincoln, State treasurer Mortensen of Ord, Prof. Delzell of Lexington, Rev. Ludden of Lincoln and Mr. Tawney of Pierce.

The meeting lasted until 5 o'clock and the meeting was

highly successful in every particular.

At the conclusion of the meeting carriages were again provided and the committee took the members of the board out for a drive in Tappan valley and the Ream valley to the northwest, returning in time for supper at the Grand Central. The members of the board left Saturday morning for Lincoln with the view of going to Perue Sunday night where they would hold an executive session Monday and Tuesday, besides making provision for the fall term of the Perue school would determine by ballot the location of the New State Normal.

DIED.

OSBORNE—At the home of his parents in this city, Saturday, August 29th, 1903, Charles S. Osborne, of heart trouble, age 32 years, 4 months and 3 days.

The deceased was born in Republic county, Kansas, April 26, 1871. He moved with his parents to Broken Bow, in May, 1883. About a year after he entered the printers trade as an apprentice under W. G. Purcell in his job office and has been engaged in that business most of the time since. For years he has been recognized as among the best job printers of the state. For several years he was in the employ of Purcell Bros. For a time he worked in Idaho for Jake Horn and later spent some time in Iowa. He was foreman of the REPUBLICAN office for two or three years prior to his moving to Sargent where for a year he was associated with his wife in running a hotel. From Sargent he moved to Ravenna, where he again engaged in the hotel business for some time. From there he went to Grand Island where he secured a position in the job department of the Press office of that city. Later he engaged with the Grand Island Independent where he held a position in the job department for two years, being in the employment of that firm when his health compelled him to abandon the office. Some three weeks ago his mother went to Grand Island and brought him home with the view of giving him the best possible care. Yet at that time he was a pretty sick man and there was but little hope of his recovery, notwithstanding, he was able to be out part of the time. Only a week before his death he was down town and called at this office.

He was a man of fine intellect, faithful and trustworthy, a devoted son, a loving husband and a kind father and a genial friend. He was married August 9, 1886, to Miss Kate Hoagland of this city, whom he leaves and one child, Birdie, a bright little girl; together with father, mother and several brothers to mourn his early demise.

His funeral services were conducted from the home of his parents in this city Tuesday Sept. 1, at 2 p. m. by Rev. Geo. P. Trites of the M. E. church, assisted by Rev. Zanders of the Episcopal church of this city of which church the deceased was a member when residing in this city. The attendance was large. The casket was liberally decorated with flowers, among which was a large wreath sent by the Independent of Grand Island.

The pall bearers were selected from his boyhood and young men associates. They were Claude Wahl, N. L. Reynolds, H. E. Bangs, Fred Hayes, S. F. Clayton and Nine McComas.

The Grand Island Independent in speaking of the death of Mr. Osborne says:

"The deceased was for a number of years an employee of the Press office later on accepting a position in The Independent's job printing rooms, and retaining the same for the past two years. He has never in these two years been physically strong and about two months ago was compelled to quit work. Dropsy and heart trouble seemed to be the ailment."

"He took a trip to Hot Springs, S. D., in the hope of improvement but a very short stay there proved that the climate disagreed with rather than benefited him, and he returned to this city, leaving a few days later, for the home of his parents, where he could be assured of the best of care."

"When he left here he was a pretty sick man, but yet able to be up and about and his illness was not regarded by his friends as being so severe as to suggest so early an end and his death was somewhat of a surprise, particularly since only a few days ago a letter was received in which he expressed confidence that he was improving, though improvement was slow."

"Mr. Osborne was a faithful, efficient and trusted employee—one who not only earned the confidence, trust and goodwill of his employers and fellow-employees, but also their friendship and regard and the bereaved father and mother and brothers have their sincerest sympathy in their sad and untimely bereavement."

"Mr. Osborne was about 33 years of age and has been a resident of this city for about four years."

Supervisors Convention of the Second District.

The republican electors of the Second Supervisors District of Custer County, are hereby requested to send delegates from

GO TO THE

Racket Store

—FOR—

Summer dress goods, black and white India linen, black and white mulls, white silk mulls, mercerized silk chambray, lochiel zephyr, favorite zephyr, pique, duck, almeria batiste, halcyon batiste and gingham for waists, laces and embroideries.

Ribbons, Velvets, Velvetens, Silks, Crepe,

Nuns Veiling, and Sateens. Also a fine line of Ladies Low Dress Shoes, Kid Colonial, Kid Four Strap, Sandals and Dongola Souvenirs. Sunbonnets, Gingham, Velvet Ribbons.

E. Reynier & Co.,

Broken Bow, Nebraska.

the several townships comprising said district to meet in convention at the Round Valley school house on Saturday, September 12, 1903, at two o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for supervisor of said district to be voted for next November and for such other business as may come before said convention. Each township is entitled to the following number of delegates:

Berwyn, 8; Garfield, 5; Lillian, 8; West Union, 7.

Louis Hammont, Com.

Church Services.

U. B. CHURCH.
Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning theme: "Sufficiency of Grace." Evening theme: "Life's Controlling Motive." W. F. PERRY.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Services next Sabbath morning at 11 a. m. Evening service 8 p. m. Communion and preparatory service will be postponed until following Sabbath and Thursday. V. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m. All are welcome.

M. E. CHURCH.
At the M. E. church the third of the series of lectures on the "Blessed Life" Sunday morning. Subject, "The Place of Morning in the Blessed Life." Text Matt. 5:4. A topic of general interest for the evening. GEO. P. TRITES, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
We close our work here next Sunday. In the morning we give a sermon of special importance to the church, every member is requested to be present. In the evening is our farewell address. You are invited. A. G. Smith.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Sunday, Sept. 6. Opening of fall and winter campaign. Pastor preaches at 11 a. m. There will be baptism at this service. Bible School at 10 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. An echo meeting of the Young Peoples Rally at the Custer Association. 8 p. m. Gospel service of song and sermon in charge of the pastor. Wednesday 8 p. m. church prayer time.

GILBERT—BARRITT—At the residence of the bride's parents of this city Tuesday evening Sept. 1, E. A. Gilbert and Miss Mary Barrett, Rev. W. H. Xanders officiating. The bride is one of Broken Bow's popular young ladies and enjoys the friendship and esteem of a large circle of friends. She is a lady of culture and refinement and is a graduate of the Broken Bow schools. The groom is telegraph operator for the B. & M. R. R. and has been a resident of the city since November 1902. His parents reside at Chrisman, Illinois. He is a young man of pleasing address, fine business qualifications and a good citizen and from every appearance is worthy of the prize he has drawn.

The wedding was private and only the immediate friends, twenty five or thirty were present. An elegant wedding supper was prepared and enjoyed by all who had the privilege of partaking. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert left this morning for Chicago, after which they will visit the home of his parents before returning home. They expect to be gone two weeks. They were the recipients of a large number of ornamental and useful presents. The REPUBLICAN extends congratulations.



Each One's Share

would be 23 1/2 acres if the earth was divided up equally. Have you got your share or any part of it? If not we can sell it to you. We have excellent bargains in

REAL ESTATE

in all directions—in the city, in the suburbs and in the country. Business property, residences and farms. We can suit you as to price.

James Ledwich,
Broken Bow, Nebraska.

Market Report for Today.

GRAIN—		
Wheat	.....	58
Barley	.....	39
Oats	.....	25
Corn	.....	34
Live Stock—		
Hogs	.....	4.60
Steers	.....	3.00 @ 3.50
Cows	.....	2.50 @ 2.75
Poultry—		
Chickens, per pound	.....	.07
Turkeys, per pound	.....	.07
Produce—		
Eggs, per dozen	.....	15
Miscellaneous—		
Potatoes, per bushel	.....	25
Hay, per ton	.....	7.50
Straw, per ton	.....	7.00
Sugar, Granulated, per cwt.	.....	\$5.50 @ 5.60

Legal Notices.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.
All advertisements under this head will be charged for at least rates, viz: \$1.00 per square for first insertion, and 50c per square for each subsequent insertion.
A "square" is ten lines or fraction thereof.

United States Land Office.
Lincoln, Nebraska, August 18th, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim to the land described in said notice, to-wit: J. A. Hammont, county judge, at Broken Bow, Neb., on October 1st, 1903, viz: Edwin F. Myers, for the southeast 1/4 of section 4, Township 14 N., Range 30 W., County of Lincoln, Nebraska. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James L. Stuckey and George W. Nelson, both of Broken Bow, Neb.; Peter Beck of Georgetown, Neb.; Arthur L. Myers of Broken Bow, Neb.; and W. A. Gunders, Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.
In County Court of Custer County, Nebraska.
To the Creditors and Heirs, and to all who are interested in the estate of Nancy E. Sidwell, deceased.

Take Notice, That W. T. Powers, executor of the aforesaid Estate, has filed a report of his doings as such, and asks that the same be approved, and that he be discharged from further obligation thereto, and that the County Judge make such order as to the distribution of the assets belonging to said estate as may seem just and equitable; and to designate the heirs entitled to a share in said estate, and to grant such other relief as may be deemed necessary in the final settlement of said estate.

Said matter has been set for hearing on the 12th day of September, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the County Court House, in Broken Bow, Nebraska, at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard concerning the same. Dated this 6th day of August, 1903.
J. A. HAMMONT, County Judge.

United States Land Office.
Broken Bow, Nebraska, August 18th, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim No. 262, and that said proof will be made before J. A. Hammont, County Judge at Broken Bow, Neb., on Sept. 15, 1903, viz: George L. Warring, Broken Bow, Neb., for the southeast 1/4 of section 15, Township 14 N., Range 30 W., County of P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Alva Smith of Broken Bow, Neb.; Ray A. Stuckey of Broken Bow, Neb.; William Sprague of Broken Bow, Neb.; George Temple of Lillian, Neb.

United States Land Office.
Broken Bow, Nebraska, August 18th, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim No. 539, and that said proof will be made before J. A. Hammont, County Judge at Broken Bow, Neb., on Sept. 15, 1903, viz: Robert B. Deatherage, as Guardian for Nicholas Mulling, for the lots 3 and 4, 1/4 sec. 4, section 1, Township 14 N., Range 30 W., County of P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ray A. Stuckey of Broken Bow, Neb.; Samuel Tooling, of Broken Bow, Neb.; Albert B. Christman of Broken Bow, Neb.; James Stoggett of Broken Bow, Neb.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.
In the District Court of Custer County, Nebraska.
Rebecca Hanbury as administratrix of the estate of Joseph Hanbury, deceased, vs. Plaintiff.
Federal Hanbury, Frank Hanbury, Fannie Hanbury, Hugh Hanbury and Paul Hanbury, heirs of Joseph Hanbury, deceased, vs. Defendants.

Now on this 31st day of July, 1903, this cause came on to be heard upon the petition of Rebecca Hanbury, administratrix of the estate of Joseph Hanbury, deceased, setting forth that said Joseph Hanbury in his life time had a 1/2 interest in and delivered a bond for the sale of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11) in township thirteen (13) north in range twenty-one (21) west, in Custer County, Nebraska, and thereafter died intestate, that the purchase price said land had been sold and the proceeds paid by the assignee thereof, Roy F. Stuckey and George E. Stuckey, and that they are entitled to a deed for the said premises; that the heirs at law and all persons interested in said estate are as follows:

Rebecca Hanbury, year petitioner, widow of deceased Joseph Hanbury.
Frederick Hanbury, son of deceased, aged 29 years, Polk County, Iowa.
Frank Hanbury, son of deceased, aged 13 years, Polk County, Iowa.
Fannie Hanbury, daughter of deceased, aged 16 years, Polk County, Iowa.
Hugh Hanbury, son of deceased, aged 14 years, Polk County, Iowa.
Paul Hanbury, son of deceased, aged 9 years, Polk County, Iowa.
And petitioner may be ordered to execute and deliver a deed of said premises to the heirs at law, Stuckey and George E. Stuckey, in accordance with the terms of said bond for a deed.
It is therefore ordered that any petition be set for hearing at the District Court Room in Broken Bow, in Custer County, Nebraska, on the 10th day of September, 1903, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., on or soon thereafter as the same can be heard, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate are ordered to appear and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted; and that a copy of this order be published for six consecutive weeks in the Custer County Republican, a weekly newspaper published at the said Broken Bow. Witness my hand this 31st day of July, 1903.
J. A. HAMMONT, County Judge.
Judge of the District Court, District of Nebraska, in and for Custer County.
WASHINGTON & STEWART,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.